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Attorney Docket No. RCA89830

First Inventor or Application Identifier David Lowell McNeely

Title A SAMPLED DATA DIGITAL FILTERING SYSTEM

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
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2. Specification [Total Pages 19]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the Invention
 - Cross References to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to Microfiche Appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure

3. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 6]

4. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 1]
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 i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
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6. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement [] Power of Attorney
[] English Translation Document (if applicable)

8. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 [] Copies of IDS Citations

9. Preliminary Amendment

10. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
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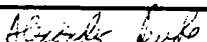
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106	310	206 155 Design filing fee	
107	480	207 240 Plant filing fee	
108	760	208 380 Reissue filing fee	
114	150	214 75 Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 760.00)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
19	-20**	=	
Independent 4	-3**	= 1	78
Claims			78
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103	18	203 9 Claims in excess of 20
102	78	202 39 Independent claims in excess of 3
104	260	204 130 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	78	209 39 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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105	130	205 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139 130 Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147 2,520 For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	112 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215 55 Extension for reply within first month	
116	380	216 190 Extension for reply within second month	
117	870	217 435 Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,360	218 680 Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,850	228 925 Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	300	219 150 Notice of Appeal	
120	300	220 150 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	260	221 130 Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,210	241 605 Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,210	242 605 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	430	243 215 Design issue fee	
144	580	244 290 Plant issue fee	
122	130	122 130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
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126	240	126 240 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
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146	760	246 380 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
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Patent Operations

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Application

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005F		Claims in Excess of 20	Divisional	X	Statement under CFR § 1.56-015W
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